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Applicant

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Response to Examiners request for Election / Restriction requirements

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Commissioner:

In response to the Examiners Election/Restriction requirement, Applicant elects claims 23-33 as amended without traverse. Claims 34-38 have been added.

In response to the Examiners Election of species requirement, Applicant elects Species I, Fig. 1. Applicant identifies claims 23-38 as being readable thereon.

In the Claims, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Claims 1-22 have been previously cancelled. Claims 23-33 have been amended. Claims 34-38 are new.

Please amend claims 23-33 as follows in the attachment below. A clean copy is also attached.

It is believe that the claims are now in a condition of allowance.

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Respectfully submitted,

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